

2011 Energy Efficiency Additional Measures Requirements

New dwellings shall meet the envelope requirements of ORSC Table N1101.1(1) and a minimum of 50% of permanently installed lighting fixtures shall have high efficacy lamps. Additionally, new heated buildings and additions of more than 600 SF or more than 40% of the original heated floor area shall have at least two of the Additional Measures from ORSC Table N1101.1(2), one from Envelope Enhancement and one from Conservation (see below). All Energy Efficiency components must be reflected on the plans.

Envelope Enhancement Measure (Select One)	1	High efficiency walls & windows: Exterior walls—U-0.047/R-19+5 (insulation sheathing)/SIPS, and one of the following options: Windows—Max 15 percent of conditioned area; or Windows—U-0.30
	2	High efficiency envelope: Exterior walls—U-0.058/R-21 Intermediate framing, and Vaulted ceilings—U-0.033/R-30A ^{d,e} , and Flat ceilings—U-0.025/R-49, and Framed floors—U-0.025/R-38, and Windows—U-0.30; and Doors—All doors U-0.20, or Additional 15 percent of permanently installed lighting fixtures as high-efficacy lamps or Conservation Measure D and E
	3	High efficiency ceiling, windows & duct sealing: (Cannot be used with Conservation Measure E) Vaulted ceilings—U-0.033/R-30A ^{d,e} , and Flat ceilings—U-0.025/R-49, and Windows—U-0.30, and Performance tested duct systems ^b
	4	High efficiency thermal envelope UA: Proposed UA is 15% lower than the Code UA when calculated in Table N1104.1(1)
	5	Building tightness testing, ventilation & duct sealing: A mechanical exhaust, supply, or combination system providing whole-building ventilation rates specified in Table N1101.1(3), or ASHRAE 62.2, and The dwelling shall be tested with a blower door and found to exhibit no more than 1. 6.0 air changes per hour ^f , or 2. 5.0 air changes per hour ^f when used with Conservation Measure E, and Performance tested duct systems ^b
	6	Ducted HVAC systems within conditioned space: (Cannot be used with Conservation Measure B or C) All ducts and air handler are contained within building envelope ^g
Conservation Measure (Select One)	A	High efficiency HVAC system: Gas-fired furnace or boiler with minimum AFUE of 90% a, or Air-source heat pump with minimum HSPF of 8.5 or Closed-loop ground source heat pump with minimum COP of 3.0
	B	Ducted HVAC systems within conditioned space: All ducts and air handler are contained within building envelope ^g
	C	Ductless heat pump: Replace electric resistance heating in at least the primary zone of dwelling with at least one ductless mini-split heat pump having a minimum HSPF of 8.5. Unit shall not have integrated backup resistance heat, and the unit (or units, if more than one is installed in the dwelling) shall be sized to have capacity to meet the entire dwelling design heat loss rate at outdoor design temperature condition. Conventional electric resistance heating may be provided for any secondary zones in the dwelling. A packaged terminal heat pump (PTHP) with comparable efficiency ratings may be used when no supplemental zonal heaters are installed in the building and integrated backup resistant heat is allowed in a PTHP
	D	High efficiency water heating & lighting: Natural gas/propane, on-demand water heating with min EF of 0.80, and A minimum 75 percent of permanently installed lighting fixtures as CFL or linear fluorescent or a min efficacy of 40 lumens per watt as specified in Section N1107.2 ^c
	E	Energy management device & duct sealing: Whole building energy management device that is capable of monitoring or controlling energy consumption, and Performance tested duct systems ^b , and A minimum 75 percent of permanently installed lighting fixtures as high-efficacy lamps
	F	Solar photovoltaic: Minimum 1 watt/sq ft conditioned floor space ^g
	G	Solar water heating: Minimum of 40 ft ² of gross collector area ^h

For SI: 1 square foot = 0.093 m², 1 watt per square foot = 10.8 W/m².

- Furnaces located within the building envelope shall have sealed combustion air installed. Combustion air shall be ducted directly from the outdoors.
- Documentation of Performance Tested Ductwork shall be submitted to the building official upon completion of work. This work shall be performed by a contractor certified by the Oregon Department of Energy's (ODOE) Residential Energy Tax Credit program and documentation shall be provided that work demonstrates conformance to ODOE duct performance standards.
- Section N1107.2 requires 50 percent of permanently installed lighting fixtures to contain high efficacy lamps. Each of these additional measures adds an additional percent to the Section N1107.2 requirement.
- A = advanced frame construction, which shall provide full required ceiling insulation value to the outside of exterior walls.
- The maximum vaulted ceiling surface area shall not be greater than 50 percent of the total heated space floor area unless vaulted area has a U-factor no greater than U-0.026.
- Building tightness test shall be conducted with a blower door depressurizing the dwelling 50 Pascal's from ambient conditions. Documentation of blower door test shall be submitted to the Building Official upon completion of work.
- Solar electric system size shall include documentation indicating that Total Solar Resource Fraction is not less than 75 percent.
- Solar water heating panels shall be Solar Rating and Certification Corporation (SRCC) Standard OG-300 certified and labeled, with documentation indicating that Total Solar Resource Fraction is not less than 75 percent.
- A total of 5 percent of an HVAC systems ductwork shall be permitted to be located outside of the conditioned space. Ducts located outside the conditioned space shall have insulation installed as required in this code.